

THE EVENING NEWS.

FIFTH YEAR—NO. 147

BENTON HARBOR, MICH., THURSDAY, MARCH 22, 1900.

TWO CENTS.

DEMOCRATS ARE IN LINE

**They Name Good Ward
Tickets.**

**Caucuses Largest Ever
Held by Party.**

**Delegates to the City
Convention.**

Democratic Ward Tickets.

Aldermen—
First ward—(Long term) Anthony Drach.

First ward—(Short term) Frank Jones.

Second ward—Joseph Hansen.

Third ward—W. D. Downey.

Fourth ward—John DeTempie.

Supervisors—

First ward—Wesley C. Noe.

Second ward—Robert Neely.

Third ward—John N. Poundstone.

Fourth ward—S. M. Austin.

Tables—

First ward—Herman Rodde.

Second ward—Albert Haney.

Third ward—Homer Thorn.

Fourth ward—Frank Vandenburg.

THE DELEGATES.

First Ward.

Edward Noe L. A. Burbridge

Herman Rodde Anthony Drach

Frank Jones John Rappell

Pete Weber J. B. Morrison

I. B. Hawken W. C. Noe

Ira Enos Perry Burke

Dr. Freymer Dr. J. C. Winans

Second Ward.

D. I. Cullining George W. Ayers

W. H. Chatfield Albert Haney

F. E. Hartier E. F. Stachtel

F. M. Vanhorn John Bell, Jr.

Joseph Hansen C. M. Gay

M. Enos J. R. Price

Sam Calderwood T. Burdsey

N. Dillard Frank Williams

J. Miller Grant A. drift

George Bauer W. H. Clark

apt. W. A. Boswell W. S. Summerill

Third Ward.

Ed Schefield Monroe Morrow

L. A. Wilson John Gaynor

Thomas Galvin Levi Stark

Gus Grinnem Richard Weston

Thos. Kuykendall F. A. Eastman

Ed Jenkins H. A.kins

A. H. Wiggin A. H. Peters

Geo. Bakeman Syndam Ryoo

Fourth Ward.

John E. Barnes C. Williams

Asa Brant Frank Seeger

S. Boyle Ralph English

John Schuder William Scherer

S. M. Austin William Heffner

Frank Andrews Lewis Diamond

Ira Bridge Albert Northup

Fred Collins William Harper

Jacob Dukescherer Joseph Fricke

Geo. Koob Chas. Kischke

The democratic ward caucuses were held last evening and from the abnormally large attendance it is clearly evident that they propose to cut quite a figure in the coming election. The first ward caucus was held in the office of Hubbard & Van Horn. L. A. Burridge was chairman and Edward Noe was secretary. Wesley C. Noe was nominated by acclamation for supervisor and his friends predict his election. For alderman Anthony Drach was nominated for two years and Frank Jones for one year. Herman Rodde received the nomination for constable. Fourteen delegates to attend the democratic city convention were selected and the following ward committee was named: Edward Noe, Anthony Drach and Frank Jones.

The second ward caucus was held in the Frank Miles tea shop, Pipestone Street, and was well attended. J. J. Miller was chairman and John R. Price was secretary. Robert Neely was nominated by acclamation for supervisor, Joseph Hansen was nominated by acclamation for alderman and Albert Haney for constable. Twenty-two delegates to the city convention were selected and the following ward com-

Notice to Hunters and Trappers.

Don't sell your raw furs without giving me a chance to bid on them. Remember that I am paying the highest market price in gold for all kinds of southwestern Michigan furs. White tail \$60 for prime black No. 1 skunk, \$2.00 for No. 1 large, dark prime mink; \$8.00 for best southwestern Michigan mink; 12 cts. for winter and 14 cts. for spring muskrats. Remember that I will buy raw furs until the 1st of May, and remember that I keep on hand a full and complete stock of all kinds of ammunition.

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THE WEATHER FORECAST.

Fair tonight and Friday. Moderate temperature. Westerly winds.

mittee was named: D. J. Cullining, F. M. VanHorn and Joseph Hansen. The third ward caucus was held in the office of Graves & Wilson. A. H. Peters was chairman and Leroy A. Wilson secretary. John N. Poundstone was selected as supervisor, W. D. Downey alderman, and Homer Thorn as constable. Sixteen delegates to the city convention were selected and F. V. Eastman was chosen as a member of the ward committee.

The fourth ward caucus was held in the basement in the Hotel Benton block and was attended by about 80 voters. Joseph Fricke was selected as chairman and Frank Andrews as secretary. S. M. Austin received the nomination for supervisor. There were two candidates for alderman, T. J. Crandall and John DeTempie. A ballot was taken which gave Mr. Crandall 16 votes and Mr. DeTempie 47. Mr. DeTempie's nomination was made unanimous. There were three candidates for constable and the result of the first ballot gave the nomination to Frank Vandenberg. Twenty delegates were chosen to attend the city convention and Fred Collins, S. M. Austin and E. C. Andrews were elected ward committeemen.

IMPORTANT MEETING

BOARD OF TRADE WILL HOLD IT TONIGHT.

The Benton Harbor board of trade will hold an important meeting tonight and every business man is asked to be present.

The Tannery people and the Radiant company have made a reasonable proposition which the citizens of the city cannot afford to lose.

SOLD THEIR CLAIM.

POTTAWATOMIE INDIANS RE- CEIVE \$45,000.

The Pokagon band of the Pottawatomie Indians, numbering about 300 and located in this part of the state, have at last disposed of their claim to property in the city of Chicago. The claimant is J. W. Sauer, 67 South Clark street, Chicago, and he pays \$45,000 to the business committee of the Pokagon band inside of six months. Proceedings will be commenced at once against the two railroads occupying the land.

A BIG CLAIM.

It Was Paid By the Order of Patricians Today.

The Order of Patricians today paid the largest claim that they have been called upon to pay since their organization. Mrs. May H. Henry of Lewiston, Mich., was paid \$1,000.

PRETTY ST. JOE WEDDING.

Miss Olive Lessing and Arthur Good Married.

A very pretty wedding took place last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Lessing, when their daughter, Miss Olive was united in marriage to Arthur Good, by the Rev. H. Schatzl of the German Baptist church. Miss Lena Schultz of Benton Harbor, cousin of the bride, acted as bridesmaid and David Jones as best man.

The bride was dressed in a becoming gown of steel gray, trimmed with satin. She carried white roses. The bridesmaid was dressed in pink and carried pink roses.

Mr. Good's prescription clerk in Howard & Pearl's druggists, and is well known in both cities.

Mr. and Mrs. Good have the best wishes of a host of friends. They will go to housekeeping at once in their newly furnished home on Church street, St. Joseph.

St. Joe Township Ticket.

The republicans of St. Joseph township held their caucus yesterday and placed in nomination the following officers: Supervisor, J. H. Miller; clerk, A. S. Roe; treasurer, N. H. Osborn; school inspector two years, A. G. Brown; highway commissioner, Albert Kirikoski; justice of the peace four years, Adam Judson; justice of the peace two years, C. L. Miller; board of registration, Adam Yundt; constables, Paul Haase, Peter Swartz, John Berndz and E. J. Mott.

Michigan Tea & Coffee Co., postoffice block continue to furnish customers with clean, wholesome, full flavored coffee and tea at prices always considerably cheaper than others, and yet never inferior in quality.

W. H. Lewis and J. H. Clegg were from 20 to 25 head of horses for sale, drivers and team from Clegg's Point, Ind., at Clegg's barn, Saturday, March 21.

Their Only Happiness.
Mrs. Mulligan—An' what did his owner say to you this morning?

Mrs. Mulcahy—Can't you and your husband live together without fighting?
"An' what did yer say?"
"No, yer 'owner, not happily."—Tit-Bits.

CONFIDENT OF SUCCESS

St. Joseph Republicans Have Good Men.

Nelson Rice Named For Mayor.

Clerk, Townsend; Treas- urer, Herring.

The republicans of St. Joseph held their city convention in the city hall last night and nominated what is considered by the democrats to be a strong ticket.

The convention was called to order by City Chairman Sesser and N. A. Hamilton was made chairman and Editor Cochrane, secretary.

Dr. McLean in his usual pleasing manner presented the name of Nelson Rice for republican nominee for mayor. Several seconding speeches were made and no other candidates were presented. Mr. Rice received the nomination by acclamation.

In the city clerk there were two candidates, Leland Townsend and Robert Hudson. Mr. Townsend was on the ticket last year and polled a large vote. In fact, together with his ability gave him the nomination the first ballot, while, stood Townsend and Hudson, 18.

Alfred Herring and R. J. Drake were the two candidates for treasurer and Mr. Herring received 35 out of 51 votes and was chosen the nominee. John C. Clark was nominated by acclamation for the office of justice of the peace.

The convention was one of the best ever held in the city and was well attended. Mr. Rice, the candidate for mayor, has been in the grocery business in St. Joseph for the past 27 years and has many democratic as well as republican friends. He will prove a strong candidate against Hon. Thomas O'Hara, who is the democratic can-

CIRCUIT COURT.

The case of John Erdman vs Edmund Gravlin is on trial in the circuit court today. It is a case in ejectment concerning some land in this county.

In the case of Boyd vs Hull the jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff in the sum of \$515.79.

In the case of the people vs. Mr. Grifflia of Niles for violating the liquor law the defendant plead guilty and was fined \$25 and \$2.40 costs.

Admirers of fine art should see the specimens of hand painted china on display in Enders & Young's millinery window, Friday and Saturday of this week.

Elected Officers.

Benton Harbor lodge of Elks held their annual election of officers at their hall last evening with the following result: Exalted ruler, Frank P. Graves; esteemed leading knight, E. W. Moore; esteemed loyal knight, O. J. Smith; esteemed lecturing knight, R. D. Farmer; secretary, Leroy Wilson; treasurer, John J. Kinney; tyler, A. H. Peters; trustees, H. M. Oney, William Baker and Dr. Basler.

Marriage Licenses.

Arthur G. Good, 25, St. Joseph; Olive Lessing, 20, same.

GRAIN MARKET.

Following are the prices of grain and provisions on Chicago board of trade today furnished by E. W. Moore & Co., commission brokers:

	Close	Open	High	Low	Yester
May	66	66	65½	65	66
July	66½	67	66½	66	67

	Close	Open	High	Low	Yester
May	36½	37½	36½	36	37½
July	37½	37½	37½	37	37½

	Close	Open	High	Low	Yester
Oats	24	24	23½	24	24
July	22½	22½	22	22	23

Closing prices on the board today: May pork \$11.60 hhd. \$6.15 ribs \$6.25

Be Fooled the Surgeons.

All doctors told Benick Hamilton, of West Jefferson, O., after suffering 18 months from Recanal Fistula, that unless a costly operation was performed, he would die himself with Benick's Arnica Salve, the best in the world. Sure! Philo Cure on Earth, 25¢ a box, at Lowe & Winterspoon's drug store.

Aggravated Murder.

In sentencing a prisoner to be hanged for the murder of a soldier, Lord Eskgrave dilated upon the crime as follows: "And not only did you murder him, whereby he was bereaved of his life, but you did thrust, or push, or pierce, or project, or propel the lethal weapon through the belly-band of his regimental breeches, which were his majesty's!"—Argonaut.

"An' what did yer say?"

"No, yer 'owner, not happily."—Tit-Bits.

Old papers for sale at this office.

SCENES OF WOE.

Correspondent of a New York Paper
Tells of Sad Conditions in
Porto Rico.

San Juan, March 22.—James Creelman cables to the New York Journal: It is impossible to express the agony of despair with which the people of Porto Rico received the news that the republican majority of congress did not intend to extend the constitution over the island. The people are too weak to resist our bayonet rule, but their love for the United States is changing to apathy or fierce hatred. In San Juan one

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WORK OF GATACRE.

His Strategy Proves of Great Aid to Lord Roberts.

NO CHANGE IN MILITARY SITUATION.

President Kruger in Communication with the British Government—Character of His Telegrams Not Disclosed.

London, March 22.—So far as the military situation is concerned, there is practically no change. Lord Roberts is quietly making preparations for the next move. As necessary to a beginning, Gens. Gatacre and Brabant are swiftly moving from point to point in the southern districts of the Free State, dispersing or accepting the surrender of any remaining Boers, thus insuring the safety of Lord Roberts' communications before starting toward Pretoria.

A correspondent of the Daily News at Springfontein describing these movements, says: "Gen. Gatacre is sweeping through the country like a cyclone, with flying columns in all directions. His swiftness and strategy have proved of incalculable value to Lord Roberts."

Lord Methuen's movements north of Kimberley are believed to be a prelude to the gathering of a column of 20,000 men, with Kimberley as a base, to strike eastward from Fourteen Streams into the Transvaal.

The long and anxiously awaited news of the relief of Mafeking has not yet been received.

More Telegrams from Kruger.

Several telegrams have passed between President Kruger and the British government, in addition to the Sal-

the proposal; and as, furthermore, the British government has declared to the cabinet at Washington that it did not propose to accept the intervention of any power, the Swiss federal council, to its regret, must also renounce the idea of taking steps on the lines of the request made by the presidents of the South African republics. There remains for the federal council, in the circumstances, nothing but to express its sincere wish that the belligerents will have succeeded, at no too distant date, in finding a basis for an understanding honorable to both parties."

SAVED SIX LIVES.

Gallant Conduct of a Young Colored Man at a Fire at New York City.

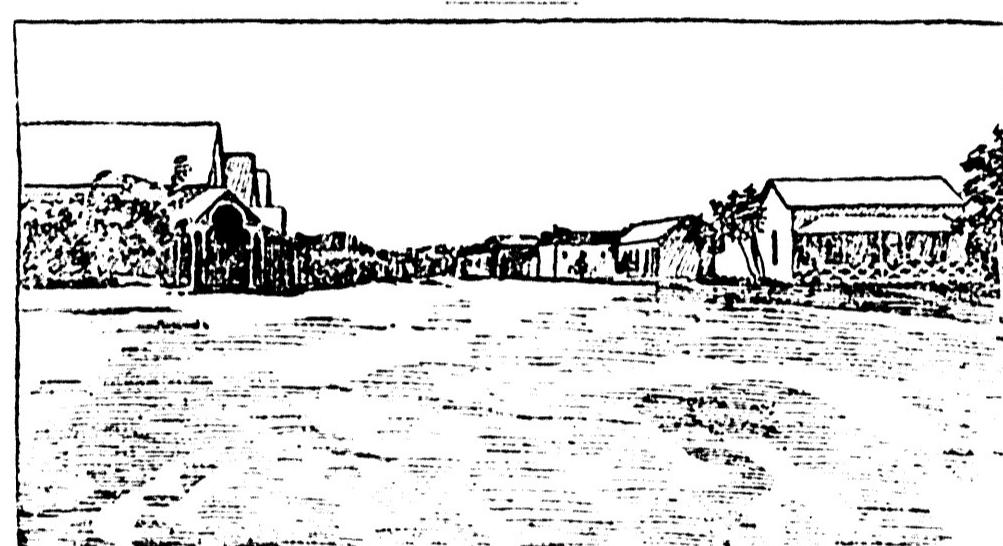
New York, March 22.—Six lives were saved by the gallant work of a young colored man during a fire at a flat house in West One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street. The man's name is M. S. Anderson. He detected the fire while on his way to work. The flames had gained considerable headway, and in a window of the second floor stood a man named Nelson with his six little children hovering about him, their escape having been cut off by the flames. With two passers-by Anderson ran into the building next door and up to the third floor. With his two companions holding his legs, Anderson swung head downward and, swaying his body backward and forward, managed to reach the children as they were held up to him by the father. All were taken out safely in this manner. The firemen brought the other occupants of the building down the ladder.

KENTUCKIANS AROUSED.

Steps Are to Be Taken to Retrieve, If Possible, the Reputation of the State.

Lexington, Ky., March 22.—A meeting was held here Wednesday attended by leading citizens of this city and

SCENE IN KROONSTAD.



Where the Boers are concentrating to oppose British advance into the Transvaal. Kroonstad is on the direct line of railway communications with Pretoria and is the town next in importance to Bloemfontein.

isbury-Kruger correspondence already published. The foreign office received a dispatch from Pretoria yesterday. The contents of these communications cannot yet be obtained.

May Be Amalgamated.

London, March 22.—The correspondent of the Times at Lorenzo Marques, telegraphing Tuesday, says: "It is reported from Pretoria that a scheme has been arranged for the amalgamation of the Transvaal and the Free State. Kruger will become president of the federated states and Sir John commandant general of the Boer army. The flag will be the same as that of the Transvaal with an additional orange color. Although this story is not confirmed, it is not improbable. It is a notorious fact that Gen. Joubert has lost the confidence of the burghers simply because from the first he refused to submit himself to the inevitable result of the war. Whether the burghers in the field, it might not be difficult to assure a formal endorsement of this rumored scheme."

Fight Will be Desperate.

London, March 22.—A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Pretoria, dated Monday, March 11, says: "President Kruger returned from Kroonstad yesterday. He says the fight in the Free State will be desperate."

Predicts War's Collapse.

London, March 22.—The Cape Town correspondent of the Daily Mail, telegraphing Tuesday, March 20, says: "I have just arrived from Bloemfontein, where I learned that no further movement is probable for three weeks, as negotiations are proceeding. I failed to ascertain the nature of the negotiations, or whether Sir Alfred Milner's departure from Cape Town is connected with them, but I should not be surprised if the war collapsed quickly."

Suggests Threat of Retrial.

London, March 22.—Winston Churchill, in a dispatch from Pietermaritzburg, says: "I think it may be counted certain that the Transvaal would immediately comply if Great Britain were to demand equally fair treatment for all prisoners by a threat of reprisals on Transvaal prisoners."

Proclamation Effective.

Maseru, Basutoland, March 22.—Everybody in Basutoland rejoices in the restoration of telegraphic communication with Aliwal North. The proclamation of Lord Roberts is apparently effective, as the Free Staters are surrendering to the Basutoland officials. The occupation of Thaba Nchu and Rouxville by the British has produced an excellent impression, convincing the Basutos that the authority of the queen is paramount.

Switzerland Declines to Intervene.

Berne, Switzerland, March 22.—The federal council has answered the Boer appeal for mediation as follows:

"The Swiss federal council would have been pleased to cooperate in friendly mediation in order to end further bloodshed, but as the presidents of both South African republics have directly approached the British government in order to conclude

surrounding cities. The object was to put on foot a nonpartisan move, looking towards action to retrieve the lost reputation of Kentucky and obliterate the reputation the present complicated state of affairs and acts leading to them have given it. A similar move is on foot in Louisville and Covington. So far the work is being done with more or less secrecy. It was decided to issue an address to all counties in the state calling conventions to select delegates April 20 to a state convention to be held in Louisville April 21. Beyond this nothing definite was done."

ASSETS VERY LIGHT.

A Son of Peter Lorillard, the Millionaire Tobaccoconist, Once Worth Over \$2,000,000, is Bankrupt.

New York, March 22.—Jacob Lorillard, formerly a brick manufacturer, has filed a petition in bankruptcy. Liabilities, \$867,327; assets, \$60.

Jacob Lorillard is a son of Peter Lorillard, the millionaire tobacco man, and inherited \$1,500,000 from his father's estate. His cousin, Catherine Lorillard Wolfe, left him \$600,000; his brother George bequeathed \$250,000 to him, and an aunt left a large sum to him. He receives an income of \$40,000 from his father's estate, and this sum, he testified in a suit against him, was necessary for his support.

Tarred and Feathered.

Gretna, Neb., March 22.—Wednesday night a mob took Louis Figg and wife, alleged religious fanatics, from their beds and treated them to a coat of tar and feathers. The mob numbering about 30 prominent citizens, made no attempt at disguise. It is alleged that Figg and his wife have caused a number of women to forsake home, husbands and children and take up residence in the Figg "heaven."

Barber Assassinated.

Chicago, March 22.—Robert G. Gilchrist, a barber at 1754 West Twenty-second street, was shot and killed instantly Wednesday night while preparing a cup of lather for a customer who sat in his chair. The murderer opened the door of the shop, took careful aim with a rifle for three or four seconds, and fired. He escaped. The police have a good description of him, but no clew leading to a motive.

Pardoned.

Harrisburg, Pa., March 22.—The board of pardons has granted a pardon to William H. House, former assistant city attorney of Pittsburgh, serving 22 months in Western penitentiary for alleged embezzlement of city funds.

Infected with the Plague.

Sydney, capital of New South Wales, Adelaide, capital of South Australia, have been declared infected with

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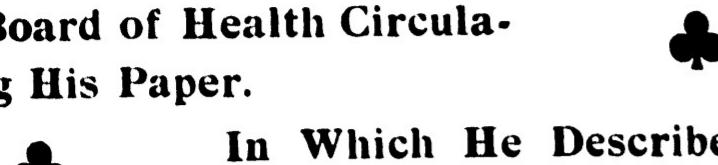
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TWO CENTS.

DR. RYNO IS AN AUTHORITY

State Board of Health Circularing His Paper.



In Which He Describes the Smallpox Cases Here.

Henry B. Baker, secretary of the state board of health, is sending bulletins throughout the state in reference to the "Present Mild Form of Smallpox." Accompanying the bulletin is the paper read before the Berrien county medical society by Dr. Wake-man Ryno, health officer of this city. It is as follows:

"Having been selected by your executive committee to prepare a few remarks for this meeting, and at the suggestion of your secretary who thought our late epidemic of smallpox would offer good material for discussion, I will attempt to give you as briefly as possible a synopsis of the different cases which came under my observation during the epidemic, which commenced in October, 1899, having been brought to Benton Harbor directly from Union Town, Kentucky.

"The first case was taken sick in a tenement block where 18 people resided. Before it was recognized and quarantined 32 people were exposed, of which number 15 contracted the disease. Inside of three weeks there were 10 foci of infection; 7 in Benton Harbor, 1 each at Chase, St. Joseph and Coloma, Michigan. At these 10 points 24 cases developed, or about 40 cases in all, of which 23 occurred in my jurisdiction.

"Without doubt this epidemic of smallpox, now prevalent in a large number of states, will be recorded to the annals of medicine as the most benign in the history of the world; so mild is it that few people will believe that it is smallpox, and therefore take no precaution toward guarding against the contagium, thus rendering the efforts of the boards of health to stamp it out very difficult to accomplish. That it is smallpox, there is not the least doubt in my mind; it has all the characteristics; it attacks the old and young alike; in every instance it shows the greatest respect for the vaccinated; after a fever lasting three or four days it immediately subsides on the appearance of the eruption. The small pimpls when first seen have the hard base, and feel like shot under the finger. They are found more abundant on the face and hands, but appear on all parts of the body, in the hair, on the palms of the hands and soles of the feet; in two cases it affected the voice by breaking out in the mouth and throat. So that from the first day of the chills and fever to the last day of the scaling off, or desquamation, leaving the reddish brown spot always seen in the mild or severe form, we have had the exact characteristics of smallpox. Not every case presented all the well marked symptoms, but in all the cases taken together, we have had all the symptoms usually seen in an epidemic of this disease.

"The incubation period, as near as could be determined, has been from eleven to sixteen days; fully four-fifths of the patients commenced feeling bad on the twelfth day after being exposed, and the pustula could be discerned by the third day. In only two cases was noticed the prodromal rash—a diffused redness resembling scarlet fever, which is said to be more frequent in some epidemics than others, especially in mild smallpox or varioloid.

"Every case came down with a chill followed by two or three days of high fever, accompanied by headache, backache, nausea and vomiting. The third day the eruption appeared and the fever subsided; with the exception of three patches, all seemed to be over, as well as ever about the fifth day. The minute red spots or pimpls, seen on the third day, continued to grow for five or six days, to the size of water blisters about the second or third day of the eruptive stage. Many of them presented the umbilicated appearance seen on the third day of chickenpox, and I might say, this is one of the different diagnostic symptoms between smallpox and chickenpox. In all the cases we had the central depression of the vesicle was lost or disappeared about the seventh day of the eruptive stage. They became rounded, full, hard, smooth and oval, like a half pea, containing a turbid liquid, which would not escape on puncturing the pustule; whereas the vesicle of chickenpox remains umbilicated until it dries down into a scab on the fifth or sixth day.

"In one case we had the eruption break out in successive crops for eight days, but in all the other cases the eruption commenced to dry down on the seventh day of the eruptive stage,

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From Grateful Mrs. Lane

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I wrote you a letter some time ago, stating my case to you.

"I had pains through my bowels, headache, and backache, felt tired and sleepy all the time, was troubled with the whites. I followed your advice, took your Vegetable Compound, and it did me lots of good. I now have a baby girl. I certainly believe I would have miscarried had it not been for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I had a very easy time; was sick only a short time. I think your medicine is a godsend to women in the condition in which I was. I recommend it to all as the best medicine for women."—Mrs. MARY LANE, Coyote, Tenn.

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TWIN CITY TELEPHONE 172.

THURSDAY, MARCH 22, 1900

THE steamer City of Louisville is not a record breaker after all. The Naomi of the Crosby line has been imprisoned off Grand Haven for five days and the fate of the Louisville in being bottled up about half as long is as nothing. But Grand Haven is not supplied with imaginative correspondents and the Naomi has not been reported in great danger and no funeral arrangements have been prepared for the passengers.

THERE are many people who believe that the letter purporting to have been written by Gen. Will L. White in South Africa was written by some Grand Rapids friend who wanted to throw the officers off the track of his whereabouts. In the letter White is made to say that he is sorry that he ran away, that he was not aware that there was anything wrong about the military deal and then adds that he is willing to spend the rest of his life in working to reimburse the state. If he comes back the state will probably give him a job to work it out.

Victim of a Mob.
Raleigh, N. C., March 22.—Gov. Russel officially informed that Tuesday night four masked men went to the home of George Rittle, a negro, aged 35 years, near Carthage, and attempted to hang him, but he broke away. He was caught, however, horribly mutilated and hanged and shot. His murderers are believed to be moonshiners.

Hill Carnegie Salt Ended.
Pittsburgh, Pa., March 22.—Andrew Carnegie has made an agreement with H. C. Frick and others whereby his suits against the Carnegie Steel company are amicably settled and a combination with \$200,000,000 capital is formed.

Reports Root of Americans.
Paris, March 22.—The Intransigent has a telegram received by Agoncillo, Aguinaldo's envoy, announcing that the Filipino Gen. Pavia has routed the Americans near Cubat and taken the town.

Try Grain-O! Try Grain-O!

Ask your Grocer today to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as the adult. All who try it like it. GRAIN-O has that rich, bold brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress. The price of coffee, 16c. and 25cts. per package. Sold by all grocers.

The Savage Bachelor.
"There is one thing I would like to know," said the Savage Bachelor. "Is that possible?" asked the Sweet Young Thing, with some acerbity; this occurring at the breakfast hour, when lovely young woman is at her unseatest.

"Yes, I want to know why nearly all these women who have distinguished themselves by a display of brains look so much like men?"—Indianapolis Press.

He Is Very Late.
"I called to say au revoir, Miss Homewood," said young Mr. Fitzperry. "I'm going to Florida, doncher know!"

"Well, good-by, Mr. Fitzperry, but I'm afraid you are somewhat late."

"How so, Miss Homewood?"

"The other geese flew south long ago."—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for any case of Cataract that can not be cured by Hall's Cataract Cure.

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TRIAL OF GEN. MARSH

Case Against Indicted Ex-Official of Michigan Begins.

FIRST TESTIMONY IS INTRODUCED.

Gov. Pingree Gives Evidence on the Witness Stand—He Is Assured That He Is Not Thought to Have Had Guilty Knowledge.

Lansing, Mich., March 22.—The first testimony was taken Wednesday in the trial of Arthur F. Marsh, ex-inspector general, for alleged complicity in the state military clothing frauds. Two deputy attorney generals swore to communications between the indicted ex-officers and the attorney general's office, in reference to disposal of the clothing in question. Witnesses testified that the now indicted military officers did not follow the attorney general's advice, which was to turn over such clothing as the state military board desired to dispose of to the board of state auditors. Records of the military board's proceedings were introduced in evidence.

Adjt. Gen. Case testified as to the authenticity of the record of the board's meeting, held in Grand Rapids, at which it was voted to transact the alleged fraudulent clothing deal. Gen. Case stated that he was not present at said meeting, and knew nothing of the deal in question until several weeks later.

Gov. Pingree was sworn as a witness and a letter, which had not hitherto figured in the case, was produced in evidence. It was signed by the governor and addressed to Quartermaster General White, directing White to enter guard contracts for equipping the national guard and to advertise let bids. Gov.

Pingree said the letter was genuine. He could not remember the circumstances under which it was written, nor could he remember anything about it nor recall that anyone ever asked him to sign the letter. He said, however, that he would sign such a letter today if the quartermaster general asked him to. He did not know that such a quantity of clothing was on hand, nor that the board contemplated purchasing \$100,000 worth of goods. The prosecution produced a letter head of the Detroit corporation counsel's office, which is the office in which Col. Sutton, one of the indicted men, is employed, and had the governor compare it with the paper on which the order to White was written. The paper appeared similar, the printed letter head having been torn from the order. The governor stated that he never dreamed that any improper use was to be made of the money received from the sale of state clothing, and Judge Cahill stated on behalf of the prosecution that no one ever entertained the slightest idea that the governor had any knowledge of the affair.

THE AMERICAN GIRL."
Mrs. Vonnah's Gold Statue for the Paris Exposition Is SuccessFully Cast.

New York, March 22.—The gold statue of "The American Girl," which is to be exhibited at the Paris exposition, was successfully cast Wednesday. Miss Maude Adams, the actress, was the model, and Mrs. Bessie Potter Venard was the sculptor. The statue mounted on its base will be six feet in height, the figure being of Miss Adams' own height. It weighs 512 pounds, and the bullion used is said to be at \$15,700. Miss Adams' gown is of the simplest sort. It is a summer dress of chiffon. Lace ruffles extend its length and gathered at the waist they give a kind of blouse effect at the bosom. The sleeves are tight from shoulder to wrist. The arms drop to full length on both sides. The hair waves back from the forehead and is parted slightly to the left. The pose is that of taking a step forward, denoting "progress."

Welcome to Dewey.
Savannah, Ga., March 22.—Fifty thousand persons on the streets here Wednesday afternoon gave Admiral Dewey an enthusiastic welcome to Savannah. The admiral had recovered from his indisposition of Tuesday sufficiently for him to take part in the military parade, and as he rode through the streets with Mrs. Dewey at his side, ringing cheers rent the air.

The climax of the occasion occurred at the banquet at the DeSoto hotel at night, where the admiral was presented a beautiful vase on behalf of the city of Savannah by Hon. F. G. Du Bignon. The vase is elegantly engraved and stands nearly three feet high on a marble base.

To secure the original witch hazel salve, ask for DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, well known as a certain cure for piles and skin diseases. Beware of worthless counterfeits. They are dangerous. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

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Sash-Belt and Buckle.

Mention your waist-measure when sending.

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For 15 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp. Small and attractive. Made of thin sheet metal, having a decorative pattern.

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Durable, durable material that will stand washing.

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368 pages of valuable cooking receipts also treatise on the care of the kitchen, training maid, laundry, sick-rooms, and remedies for the more common diseases.

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Wm. Orr, Newark, O., says: "We never feel safe without One Minute Cough Cure in the house. It saved my little boy's life when he had the pneumonia. We think it is the best medicine made." It cures coughs and all lung diseases. Pleasant to take, harmless and gives immediate results. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

Gus Sun's Big Minstrels—35 people—will appear at Conkey's hall, March 22.

This is one of the largest and best shows that has ever visited Benton Harbor. Seats on sale at Wiggins drug store. Prices reduced to 25, 35 and 50c.

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"I used Kodol Dyspepsia Cure in my family with wonderful results. It gives immediate relief, is pleasant to take and is truly the dyspeptic's best friend," says E. Hartgerink, Overisel, Mich. Digests what you eat. Cannot fail to cure. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

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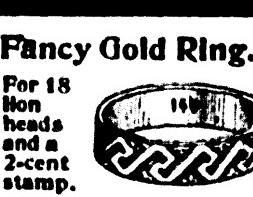
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First ward, 14 delegates; second
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For St. Louis Exposition.

Washington, March 22.—Upon the

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Senator Turner (Wash.) made the

statement in the Senate Wednesday

that concessions for gold mining in

the bed of the sea near Cape Nome,

Alaska, had been granted by the sec-

retary of war and upon that state-

ment he based a resolution of inquiry.

Senator Turner said if such a grant

had been made it was "a shame, a re-

proach and a scandal." The resolu-

tion was agreed to in a few minutes

and without discussion, the additional

urgent deficiency bill was passed

with one or two other measures of

importance. Senator Allison gave no

notice that he would call up to-day the

conference report on the Porto Rican

appropriation bill.

For St. Louis Exposition.

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SOCIETY AND PERSONAL

W. H. Stahl and family have moved to their old home in Berrien Springs. Miss Minnie Geer has returned from Chicago where she has been visiting friends.

Frank Wheaton, who has been a victim of smallpox, has been released from quarantine. He had a genuine attack of the disease.

The Chataquans will meet at Mrs. Kerr's on Brunson avenue tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The Lady Macabees held an enjoyable meeting Wednesday afternoon at their hall. Several guests of St. Joseph and Lapeer hive were present. After the regular business a recess was declared and refreshments of fruit and bon bons served and a social time enjoyed.

Mesdames C. A. White, Eugene Silvers and John Woodley charmingly entertained Home Forum 389 Wednesday evening at the home of C. A. White. About 100 people were present and delicious refreshments were served. A fine program was rendered.

The Crickets arrived March 19 much refreshed and improved from their year of travel and enjoyed an "at home" with Mrs. Harper. To see none were missing the roll was called and responded to with "Bliss of Nonsense." "Startling Changes" was an exceedingly bright paper by Mrs. Lander. Could some of the Crickets see the startling changes their absence would have occasioned, the trip would probably have never been taken. Mrs. Harper read an amusing article on "When man turns cook; how he made a Welsh rabbit and broke ties of friendship." General topic—"Is a lie ever justifiable?" was led by Miss Plimpton, who in a few remarks said: "It is in some respects necessarily so. Many men are incapable of stating a fact or telling a truth. They have not the power to comprehend or express either. They are unwilling liars and are therefore justifiable." The subject was generally discussed by the club. Miss Lewis and Miss DeLong favored the club with a duet. Miss Plimpton played "Qui Vadis" waltz and kindly responded to an encore. The next and last meeting will be a musical at the home of Mrs. Alger, Colby avenue.

The Ossoli will meet with Mrs. Monroe Morrow tomorrow afternoon.

The Art League met with Miss Ollie Barnhardt last evening with the following program: Roll call. Current art mention. "Principal Paintings by Steuben," Lucy R. Kerr. A sketch of Van Dyke and Jan Fyt was given by Miss Whitehead owing to the absence of two of the members. A short business meeting was held and resulted in the club deciding to present a piece of statuary to the public schools of Benton Harbor. The club adjourned to meet with Mrs. George Thresher, April 11.

A Cake Sale Saturday.

The ladies of the Universalist church will hold a cake sale at W. D. Downey's store Saturday afternoon.

ST. JOSEPH.

The N. S. Pedro Club meets with Iola Huston and Edna Kessler at the home of the former.

Spring vacation begins in the St. Joseph schools next week.

Miss Iola Huston will visit her mother in Chicago next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Blake have returned to their rooms at the hotel Whitecomb after spending two months in the south.

Mrs. Niles Enberg underwent a delicate but successful operation yesterday. Drs. Scott, Gowdy and Backus removed a bony tumor from her jaw.

The St. Joseph athletic association will have a glove contest between two well known local boxers this evening.

Church Dinner and Supper.

The ladies of the Christian church will serve dinner and supper at the G. A. R. hall Saturday.

Probate Court.

The second day's hearing on the contested final account of Fred H. Andrews, one of the executors of the estate of John Andrews, deceased, was taken up in the examination of a number of witnesses and the further hearing was adjourned to April 10 at 10 a.m. A. W. Thompson appeared as attorney for Andrews and Col. E. J. Bacon for the contestants.

Josiah Caldwell, P. P. Chapsaddle and William G. Emery were appointed commissioners to partition among the heirs the real estate of William Cassell, deceased.

Dickey A. Lett filed her petition for final settlement of her accounts as executrix of the estate of George W. Lett, deceased, and for distribution of said estate. Hearing set for April 24, at 10 a.m.

A petition was filed by John Olson for final settlement of his accounts as executor of the estate of John Dahl, deceased, and for final distribution of said estate. Hearing set for April 24, at 10 a.m.

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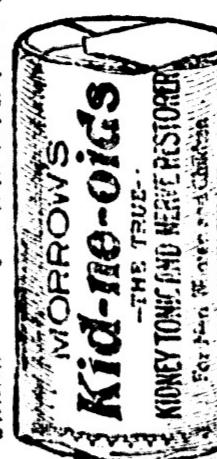
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